

**Amendments to the Specification:**

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 2, line 18 with the following amended paragraph:

The device for controlling the glass gob mass as shown in Figure 1 is designated by the reference numeral 1. The device 1 comprises two plungers 2 and 2'. The plungers 2, 2' are disposed in a feeder head 3 of a feeder 4. The feeder head 3 comprises a dual gob outlet which is formed by two openings 5 and 5' in an orifice ring 6. Furthermore, the feeder head 3 comprises a restrictor pipe 7 which surrounds the two plungers 2, 2'. The axial position of the restrictor pipe 7 serving as the control variable can be changed in a manner which is known per se as shown by the double arrow 8. A drive 9 of the restrictor pipe 7 is shown in a schematic and only partial manner in Figure 1. In order to adjust the vertical position of the restrictor pipe 7, a motor is provided, not shown, which drives a spindle 11 via an angular gear mechanism 10. The spindle 11 cooperates with a spindle nut 12 which is connected to the restrictor pipe 7. Furthermore, a mechanism, not shown, can be provided in order to be able to adjust the restrictor pipe 7 horizontally with respect to the symmetrical arrangement around the dual gob outlet 5, 5' horizontally [sic]. By virtue of the vertical adjustment indicated by the double arrow 8, a gap 15 is adjusted between a lower end of the restrictor pipe 7 and the orifice ring 6.